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**PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of

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Examiner: Jung Kim

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☐ Also attached:

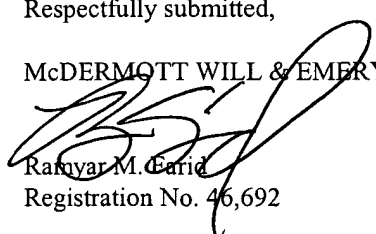
The fee has been calculated as shown below:

|   | NO. OF<br>CLAIMS | HIGHEST<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | EXTRA<br>CLAIMS | RATE       | FEE      |
|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|------------|----------|
| Total Claims                              | 9                | 23                                | 0               | \$50.00 =  | \$0.00   |
| Independent Claims                        | 4                | 7                                 | 0               | \$200.00 = | \$0.00   |
| Multiple dependent claims newly presented |                  |                                   |                 |            | \$0.00   |
| Fee for extension of time                 |                  |                                   |                 |            | \$450.00 |
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